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**ANNUAL REPORT**

OF

Name: BRUCE TELEPHONE CO., INC.

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Principal Office: 620 N ALVEY ST  
P.O. BOX 100  
BRUCE, WI 54819-0100

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For the Year Ended: DECEMBER 31, 1998

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TELECOMMUNICATIONS UTILITY  
TO  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

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**SIGNATURE PAGE**

I SUSAN K. SKAR of  
(Person responsible for accounts)

BRUCE TELEPHONE CO., INC. , certify that I  
(Utility Name)

am the person responsible for accounts; that I have examined the following report and, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, it is a correct statement of the business and affairs of said utility for the period covered by the report in respect to each and every matter set forth therein.

SUSAN K. SKAR 03/31/1999  
(Person responsible for accounts) (Date)

VICE PRESIDENT  
(Title)

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**ANNUAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS REPORT GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

<b>Access Line</b>	Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency transmission, and/or time slot transmission. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice channel or a 64 kilobits per second digital channel.
<b>Analog Signal</b>	A signal that varies in a continuous manner such as voice or music. An analog signal must be contrasted with a digital signal which can assume only discrete values.
<b>Cellular System</b>	A high capacity land mobile radio system in which an assigned frequency spectrum is divided into discrete channels that are assigned to a cellular geographic serving area.
<b>Central Office</b>	A switching unit in a telephone system providing service to the general public, having the necessary equipment and operating arrangements for terminating and interconnecting lines and trunks.
<b>Centrex</b>	A service for customers with many stations that permits station-to-station dialing, one listed directory number for the customer, direct inward dialing to a particular station and station identification on outgoing calls. The switching functions are performed in a central office (stand alone, host or remote).
<b>Channel</b>	An electrical communications path between two or more points. A single pair of wires may provide more than one channel. A channel may also be provided by microwave.
<b>Customer</b>	A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.
<b>Digital Signal</b>	A signal that has a limited number of discrete states. This may be contrasted with an analog signal that varies in a continuous manner and may have an infinite number of states.
<b>Equal Access</b>	The ability of the subscriber to use any long distance service by dialing the same number of digits.
<b>Exchange</b>	A defined area served by one or more central offices regardless of technical serving arrangements within which the company furnishes service at rates and rules prescribed for that area in the company's filed tariffs. The area is not necessarily marked by political boundaries or the location of host or remote switching units.
<b>Extended Area Service (EAS)</b>	The ability of a customer to call customers in other exchanges at no additional charge or at an additional charge per tariff.
<b>Extended Community Calling (ECC)</b>	The ability of a customer to call customers in other exchanges at rates usually above EAS rates but below toll rates for comparable distances. Rates generally include a duration element.
<b>Feature Group A</b>	Line-side originating and terminating LATA access for which an originating subscriber dials an assigned telephone number that connects to a specific interexchange carrier (IC). The IC returns a tone to signal the caller to input additional generated digits of the called number.

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<b>Feature Group B</b>	Trunk-side originating and terminating LATA access for which an originating subscriber dials a 950-WXXX number (where W=0, 1 and XXX is the carrier access code (CAC)), which is translated to a specific XXX carrier trunk group. Optional rotary dial service and ANI may be available.
<b>Feature Group C</b>	Trunk-side LATA access for AT&T-Communications generally on a direct basis between each end office (EO) and an AT&T-C switching system.
<b>Feature Group D</b>	Also referred to as equal access. It is trunk-side LATA access affording call supervision of an interexchange carrier, a uniform access code (10XXXXX), optional calling party identification, recording of access-charge billing details and presubscription to a customer specified interexchange carrier.
<b>FX-IN</b>	A nonswitched service where the customer of the company is connected to and receives switching service through central office equipment located in another exchange area.
<b>FX-OUT</b>	A switched service where facilities are provided from the central office out to the exchange boundary where it meets the line from a foreign exchange subscriber.
<b>Host Switching System</b>	A switching system that provides centralized control over most of the switching functions of one or more remote switching units. The host switching system usually provides trunk access to the operating company intraLATA networks.
<b>Local Access Transport Area (LATA)</b>	A geographic area within which an operating company may offer its telecommunications services.
<b>Mobile Telephone</b>	A service which provides radio telephone communication from a mobile vehicle to another vehicle or to a regular telephone.
<b>Paging</b>	A service which provides one-way signal or voice communication over a radio channel to a miniature receiver carried by the customer.
<b>Pair</b>	Two wires of a single circuit.
<b>Pay Station</b>	A telephone which normally requires all users to deposit one or more coins or use a credit card to complete a call.
<b>Private Line Service</b>	Channel or circuit rented for private use and not intended to be connected to the general distribution system.
<b>Private Branch Exchange (PBX)</b>	A manually, or operator controlled switching system, usually on the customer's premises, which serves that customer's telephones over a common group of lines from the central office.
<b>Radio Common Carrier (RCC)</b>	A company which furnishes public telecommunications service using one or more radio channels.
<b>Remote Switching Unit (RSU)</b>	An electronic switching system that is remote from its host or control office. All of the central control equipment for the RSU is located in the host switching system.

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<b>Route Miles</b>	<p>Total number of route miles (to the nearest mile) of operating plant facilities including drop wire in the exchange. One route mile may consist of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. One mile of roadway with any combination of outside plant facilities on any number of rights-of-way.</li><li>2. One mile of a cross country route with any combination of outside plant facilities.</li><li>3. One mile of point-to-point microwave or radio link.</li><li>4. One mile of plant on either side of a limited access highway or natural barrier, such as a navigable waterway.</li><li>5. One mile of joint use line where the utility either owns the facility or leases space.</li></ol>
<b>Stand Alone Switch</b>	<p>A central office switch which has no remote switching units (RSUs) subtending it.</p>
<b>Trunk</b>	<p>A communications path connecting two switching systems in the establishment of an end-to-end connection.</p>
<b>Wide Area Telephone Service (WATS)</b>	<p>Customer leased access line or lines connected to the nationwide network over which an unlimited number of calls can be made for a fixed monthly charge.</p>
<b>Wire Center</b>	<p>The location of one or more local switching systems. A point at which customers' loops converge.</p>



**ABBREVIATIONS USED IN ANNUAL REPORTS**

<b>Acct</b>	.....	Account
<b>Accum</b>	.....	Accumulated
<b>Acq</b>	.....	Acquisition
<b>Admin</b>	.....	Administrative
<b>Alloc</b>	.....	Allocation
<b>Amort</b>	.....	Amortization
<b>CO</b>	.....	Central Office
<b>Depr</b>	.....	Depreciation
<b>Equip</b>	.....	Equipment
<b>Exp</b>	.....	Expenses
<b>EOY</b>	.....	End of Year
<b>FOY</b>	.....	First of Year
<b>Info</b>	.....	Information
<b>ITC</b>	.....	Investment Tax Credit
<b>Misc</b>	.....	Miscellaneous
<b>Nonoper</b>	.....	Nonoperating
<b>Nonreg</b>	.....	Nonregulated
<b>Oper</b>	.....	Operating
<b>Opns</b>	.....	Operations
<b>Orig</b>	.....	Originating
<b>Prop</b>	.....	Property
<b>Receiv</b>	.....	Receivable
<b>Reg</b>	.....	Regulated
<b>Rev</b>	.....	Revenues
<b>Svcs</b>	.....	Services
<b>Telecom</b>	.....	Telecommunications
<b>Term</b>	.....	Terminating
<b>TPIS</b>	.....	Telecommunications Plant in Service
<b>TPUC</b>	.....	Telecommunications Plant Under Construction
<b>Uncoll</b>	.....	Uncollectible

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**IDENTIFICATION AND OWNERSHIP**

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**Exact Utility Name:** BRUCE TELEPHONE CO., INC.  
**Utility Location:** 620 N ALVEY ST  
P.O. BOX 100  
BRUCE, WI 54819-0100

**Utility Web Site Address:**

**When was utility organized?:** 01/01/1940

**Report any change in name and the effective date:**

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**Officer in charge of correspondence concerning this report**

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List names, addresses, and number of shares held by persons owning 5 percent or more of outstanding voting securities. If any stock is held by a nominee, give known particulars as to the beneficial owner (See Wis. Stat. § 196.795(1)(c), for definition of beneficial owner).

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**Name:** DAVID J. MANOSKY, JR.  
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PO BOX 100  
BRUCE, WI 54819

**Number of Shares Held:** 107  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**Name:** DAVID J. MANOSKY, SR. ESTATE  
**Address:** 126 NORTH ALVEY  
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**Number of Shares Held:** 630  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**Name:** DAVIDEEN J. DEMSKE  
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**Number of Shares Held:** 104  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**Name:** DOROTHY J. BEISER  
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**Number of Shares Held:** 104  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**Name:** JULIANNE A. KOS  
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**Number of Shares Held:** 104  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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THE COLONY, TX 75056

**Number of Shares Held:** 104  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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<b>Name:</b>	SUSAN E. SKAR
<b>Address:</b>	126 NORTH ALVEY PO BOX 100 BRUCE, WI 54819
<b>Number of Shares Held:</b>	104
<b>Beneficial Owner:</b>	NONE

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List companies owned, controlled, or operated and form and extent of such ownership, control or operation.

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<b>Company Name:</b>	BRUCE TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC
<b>Form of Interest:</b>	STOCK
<b>Extent Of Interest:</b>	WHOLLY-OWNED

**INCOME STATEMENT - TOTAL COMPANY**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>This Year (b)</b>	<b>Last Year (c)</b>	
Operating Revenues (5000-5300)	1,090,280	1,092,488	<b>1</b>
<b>Operating Expenses</b>			
Plant Specific Operations Expense (6110-6410)	142,185	130,195	<b>2</b>
Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense	225,981	330,949	<b>3</b>
Customer Operations Expense (6610-6620)	152,752	143,331	<b>4</b>
Corporate Operations Expense (6710-6790)	215,312	210,025	<b>5</b>
Other Operating Income and Expense (7100)	0	0	<b>6</b>
Operating Taxes (7200)	97,874	67,936	<b>7</b>
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	<b>834,104</b>	<b>882,436</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Net Operating Income</b>	<b>256,176</b>	<b>210,052</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Other Income</b>			
Nonoperating Income and Expense (7300)	145,154	150,494	<b>10</b>
Nonoperating Taxes (7400)	32,873	49,035	<b>11</b>
Interest and Related Items (7500)	150,871	155,151	<b>12</b>
Extraordinary Items (7600)	0	0	<b>13</b>
Nonregulated Net Income (7990)	(375)	(7,479)	<b>14</b>
<b>Total Nonoperating Income</b>	<b>(38,965)</b>	<b>(61,171)</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>217,211</b>	<b>148,881</b>	<b>16</b>

## NOTES TO INCOME STATEMENT OR BALANCE SHEET

In the space provided below, disclose all material information not included elsewhere in this report that is necessary to make the financial statements clear and understandable. Included should be:

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1. A summary of significant accounting policies. (The summaries should disclose, but not be limited to, the utility's accounting policies with regard to pension cost, unbilled revenues, depreciation, and income taxes.)

**A. Significant Accounting Policies:**

1. Telephone plant in service is recorded at original cost. Retirements are recorded on average unit costs. For statement and income tax purposes, the provision for depreciation is computed on a straight-line basis by applying certified rates to group account assets as authorized by the state regulatory body.
2. Payroll taxes, pensions and employees' insurance costs are capitalized on all plant additions. Interest during construction is being recorded on major projects. These capitalizations are being treated as additions to telephone plant for both statement and tax purposes. Interest capitalized during 1998 was \$10,347 and \$-0- for 1997.
3. The company has elected to defer income tax savings earned by investment tax credit and is amortizing these savings over the service life of the assets on which the investment tax credit was taken. Amortization of investment credit amounted to \$11,305 for 1998 and \$11,553 for 1997.
4. Other accounts receivable includes estimated unbilled revenues from various interexchange carriers which amounted to \$53,100 and \$67,100 as of December 31, 1998 and 1997, respectively.
5. The company has a defined contribution pension program covering all eligible employees. Contributions are based upon a percentage of qualifying wages. The plan is fully funded by insurance annuities and contracts. The cost of this plan was \$46,432 for 1998 and \$45,520 for 1997.

**B. Income Tax:**

The company implemented FASB No. 109, "Accounting For Income Taxes" effective January 1, 1993. The company has recognized the following deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities.

Deferred income tax on unamortized investment tax credit of \$22,197 for 1998 and \$24,861 for 1997.

Deferred income tax due to the tax depreciation provision being based on MACRS for all fixed asset additions subsequent to 1991 and on the straight-line basis for all years prior to 1992 amounted to \$(21,653) for 1998 and \$(10,651) for 1997.

Deferred income tax due to undistributed income from marketable equity security - limited partnership amounting to \$3,173 for 1998 and \$2,188 for 1997. Deferred income tax on unrealized holding loss on marketable securities and other related income timing differences amounting to \$3,865 for 1998 and 1997.

Total net deferred tax assets - \$7,582 as of December 31, 1998 and \$20,263 as of December 31, 1997.

**C. Dividends Restriction:**

Under the most restrictive provisions of the RUS and RTB loan agreements, approximately \$1,022,190 of the retained earnings are available for dividends at December 31, 1998.

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2. A summary of significant contingent assets and liabilities existing at year end, including a brief explanation of any action initiated by the Internal Revenue Service, Wisconsin Department of Revenue, or the utility involving a possible assessment or refund of taxes.
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3. The notes should include an explicit and precise explanation of any retained earnings restrictions and should state the amount of retained earnings affected by such restrictions.

**BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

Particulars (a)	Balance--EOY (b)	Balance--FOY (c)	
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
<b>CASH AND EQUIVALENTS</b>			
Cash and Equivalents (1120)*	1,623,693	1,520,135	1
Cash (1130)			2
Special Cash Deposits (1140)			3
Working Cash Advances (1150)			4
Temporary Investments (1160)			5
<b>TOTAL CASH AND EQUIVALENTS</b>	<b>1,623,693</b>	<b>1,520,135</b>	
<b>RECEIVABLES AND ALLOWANCES FOR DOUBTFUL ACCOUNTS</b>			
Telecommunications Accounts Receivable (1180)*	4,040	8,871	6
Accounts Receivable Allowance-Telecom (1181)*			7
<b>Net: Telecommunications Accounts Receivable</b>	<b>4,040</b>	<b>8,871</b>	
Other Accounts Receivable (1190)*	113,378	115,849	8
Accounts Receivable Allowance--Other (1191)*			9
<b>Net: Other Accounts Receivable</b>	<b>113,378</b>	<b>115,849</b>	
Notes Receivable (1200)*	0	0	10
Notes Receivable Allowance (1201)*	0	0	11
<b>Net: Notes Receivable</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
Interest and Dividends Receivable (1210)*	35,193	55,241	12
<b>TOTAL RECEIVABLES AND ALLOWANCES FOR DOUBTFUL</b>	<b>152,611</b>	<b>179,961</b>	
<b>SUPPLIES</b>			
Inventories (1220)*	29,471	30,870	13
<b>TOTAL SUPPLIES</b>	<b>29,471</b>	<b>30,870</b>	
<b>PREPAYMENTS</b>			
Total Prepayments (1280)*	33,087	58,284	14
Prepaid Rents (1290)			15
Prepaid Taxes (1300)			16
Prepaid Insurance (1310)			17
Prepaid Directory Expenses (1320)			18
Other Prepayments (1330)			19
<b>TOTAL PREPAYMENTS</b>	<b>33,087</b>	<b>58,284</b>	
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Other Current Assets (1350)*			20
<b>TOTAL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>1,838,862</b>	<b>1,789,250</b>	
<b>NONCURRENT ASSETS</b>			
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>			
Investment in Affiliated Companies (1401)*	175,000	0	21
Investments in Nonaffiliated Companies (1402)*	64,850	64,850	22
Nonregulated Investments (1406)*	8,767	22,526	23
Unamortized Debt Issuance Expense (1407)*	685	725	24
Sinking Funds (1408)*	0	0	25



**BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

Particulars (a)	Balance--EOY (b)	Balance--FOY (c)	
<b>NONCURRENT ASSETS</b>			
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>			
Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)*	1,053,571	1,889,211	26
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS</b>	<b>1,302,873</b>	<b>1,977,312</b>	
<b>DEFERRED CHARGES</b>			
Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)*	0	0	27
Deferred Maintenance and Retirements (1438)*	0	0	28
Deferred Charges (1439)*			29
<b>TOTAL DEFERRED CHARGES</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>TOTAL NONCURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>1,302,873</b>	<b>1,977,312</b>	
<b>PLANT</b>			
<b>TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE</b>			
Telecommunications Plant in Service (2001)*	4,584,276	4,344,841	30
Less: Accumulated Depreciation (3100)*	3,130,704	2,915,809	31
Less: Accumulated Amortization--Capitalized Leases (3410)*			32
Less: Accumulated Amortization--Leasehold Improvements (3420)*			33
Less: Accumulated Amortization--Intangible (3500)*			34
<b>NET TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE</b>	<b>1,453,572</b>	<b>1,429,032</b>	
<b>PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE USE</b>			
Prop. Held for Future Telecommun. Use (2002)*			35
Less: Accumulated Depreciation--Held for Future Telecommunications Use (3200)*			36
<b>NET PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE USE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>NONOPERATING PLANT</b>			
Nonoperating Plant (2006)*			37
Less: Accumulated Depreciation--Nonoperating (3300)*			38
<b>NET NONOPERATING PLANT</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>TPUC</b>			
TPUC (2003)*	670,587	6,055	39
<b>TOTAL TPUC</b>	<b>670,587</b>	<b>6,055</b>	
<b>TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT ADJUSTMENT</b>			
Telecommunications Plant Adjustment (2005)*			40
Less: Accumulated Amortization--Other (3600)*			41
<b>NET TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT ADJUSTMENT</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>TOTAL PLANT</b>	<b>2,124,159</b>	<b>1,435,087</b>	
<b>TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS*</b>	<b>5,265,894</b>	<b>5,201,649</b>	

**BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

Particulars (a)	Balance--EOY (b)	Balance--FOY (c)	
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Accounts Payable (4010)*	79,494	84,173	1
Notes Payable (4020)*	0	0	2
Advance Billing and Payments (4030)*			3
Customer Deposits (4040)*	5,138	5,569	4
Current Maturities--Long-Term Debt (4050)*	80,600	75,900	5
Current Maturities--Capital Leases (4060)*			6
Income Taxes--Accrued (4070)*	22,552		7
Other Taxes--Accrued (4080)*	13	24	8
Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)*	0	0	9
Net Current Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes (4110)*			10
Other Accrued Liabilities (4120)*	19,073	19,704	11
Other Current Liabilities (4130)*			12
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES*</b>	<b>206,870</b>	<b>185,370</b>	
<b>LONG-TERM DEBT</b>			
Funded Debt (4210)*	2,287,001	2,369,325	13
Premium on Long-Term Debt (4220)*			14
Discount on Long-Term Debt (4230)*			15
Reacquired Debt (4240)*	0	0	16
Obligations Under Capital Leases (4250)*			17
Advances from Affiliated Companies (4260)*	0	0	18
Other Long-Term Debt (4270)*	0	0	19
<b>TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT*</b>	<b>2,287,001</b>	<b>2,369,325</b>	
<b>OTHER LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED CREDITS</b>			
Other Long-Term Liabilities (4310)*			20
Unamortized Operating ITC--Net (4320)*	71,367	82,672	21
Unamortized Nonoperating ITC--Net (4330)*			22
Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)*	(6,597)	(20,263)	23
Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)*	0	0	24
Net Noncurrent Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes (4350)*			25
Other Deferred Credits (4360)*			26
Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)*	41,715	41,715	27
<b>TOTAL OTHER LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED CREDITS*</b>	<b>106,485</b>	<b>104,124</b>	
<b>STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>			
Capital Stock (4510)*	126,000	126,000	28
Additional Paid-in Capital (4520)*			29
Treasury Stock (4530)*	0	0	30
Other Capital (4540)*	(471)	(471)	31
Retained Earnings (4550)*	2,540,009	2,417,301	32
<b>TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY*</b>	<b>2,665,538</b>	<b>2,542,830</b>	
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND OTHER CREDITS*</b>	<b>5,265,894</b>	<b>5,201,649</b>	

**STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**

<b>Item (a)</b>	<b>Amount (b)</b>	
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Net Income	217,211	<b>1</b>
<b>Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:</b>		
Depreciation and amortization	191,180	<b>2</b>
Interest during construction	(10,347)	<b>3</b>
<b>Changes in assets and liabilities:</b>		
Current assets (net)	53,946	<b>4</b>
Other noncurrent assets	835,601	<b>5</b>
Other current liabilities	16,800	<b>6</b>
Other liabilities and deferred credits	2,361	<b>7</b>
<b>Other (specify):</b>		
<b>TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS</b>	<b>1,089,541</b>	
<b>NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES (NET INCOME &amp; ADJUST.)</b>	<b>1,306,752</b>	
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
<b>Capital Expenditures:</b>		
Changes in plant (net)	(869,905)	<b>8</b>
Investments in affiliated companies	(175,000)	<b>9</b>
Nonoperating Investments	13,759	<b>10</b>
<b>Other (specify):</b>		
<b>NET CASH USING IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>(1,031,146)</b>	
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Change in capital lease obligations (net)	0	<b>11</b>
Change in long-term debt (net)	(77,545)	<b>12</b>
Net changes in stockholder equity other than retained earnings	0	<b>13</b>
Change in short term borrowing (net)	0	<b>14</b>
Dividends paid	(94,500)	<b>15</b>
Miscellaneous debits/credits to retained earnings	(3)	<b>16</b>
<b>Other (specify):</b>		
<b>Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities</b>	<b>(172,048)</b>	
<b>NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS</b>	<b>103,558</b>	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year (Accts. 1130-1160 for Class A; 1120 for Class B)		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year (Accts. 1130-1160 for Class A; 1120 for Class B)		

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**IMPORTANT CHANGES DURING THE YEAR**

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1. Give the name and address of all companies which during the year came under the direct control of the respondent otherwise than through title to securities, stating whether such control is sole or joint, how control was established, names of other parties to a joint agreement for control, the extent of control exercised by each party, and any other pertinent data requisite to a clear understanding of the arrangements relating to control (See Section 32.9000 of the Uniform System of Accounts). Where important details relating to control of a company have changed, give particulars. If during the year a company ceased to be controlled by the respondent, its name and a statement of fact will be sufficient.

**NONE**

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2. Give the name and address of all companies which during the year came under the indirect control of the respondent through non-reporting intermediaries, stating whether such control is sole or joint, how control was established, names of other parties to a joint agreement for control, the extent of control exercised by each party, the name and address of the intermediary through which the indirect control exists, and any other pertinent data requisite to a clear understanding of the arrangements relating to control (See Section 32.9000 of the Uniform System of Accounts). Where important details relating to control of a company have changed, give particulars. If during the year a company ceased to be controlled by the respondent, its name and a statement of fact will be sufficient.

**NONE**

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3. Important leaseholds acquired, given, assigned or surrendered, giving effective dates, lengths of terms, names of parties, rents, and other conditions.

**NONE**

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4. List extension of system (other than additions supplementing existing facilities of the respondent) whether by purchase, construction, donation, or otherwise, such as a substantially complete telephone system, exchange or toll line. Give the location, new territory covered, and dates of beginning operation, and in case of purchase give also the name and address of the company from which purchased, date of acquisition, the consideration given, and reference to Commission authorization.

**NONE**

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5. Estimated increase or decrease in annual revenues due to important rate changes, giving bases of estimates.

**NONE**

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6. Obligation incurred or assumed by respondent as guarantor for the performance by another of any agreement or obligation, excluding ordinary commercial paper maturing on demand or not later than one year after date of issue.

**NONE**

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7. Changes in articles of incorporation or amendments to charter.

**NONE**

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8. Additional matters of fact (not elsewhere provided for) which respondent may desire to include in its report.

**NONE**

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**AFFILIATE ABBREVIATIONS**

In column (b) provide the abbreviation for the name of the affiliate shown in column (a). Limit abbreviations to 10 characters or less. Use these abbreviations when completing the affiliated interest schedules. Insert "Other" in the Abbreviations column if the activity to be reported for a particular record in the Affiliated Interest Transactions or Affiliated Assets and Liabilities schedule represents an aggregation of activity not exceeding the dollar or percentage limits set forth in the header of that schedule.

<b>Name of Affiliate (a)</b>	<b>Abbreviations (b)</b>	
BRUCE TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC	BTC	1

**AFFILIATED INTEREST TRANSACTIONS**

Provide a summary of transactions under established affiliated interest contracts and arrangements (see Wis. Stat. § 196.52, for "affiliated interest" definitions). Use the space below to report transactions with individual affiliates and multiple affiliated interest agreements or, at the utility's option, with individual affiliates and a single agreement. Activity associated with affiliated contracts or arrangements not in excess of \$25,000 or 5 percent of the equity of the utility, whichever is smaller, may be aggregated in a single record. For utilities whose intrastate gross operating revenues of the previous year exceeded \$100,000,000, individual contracts or arrangements not exceeding \$100,000 may be aggregated in a single record. Where an affiliate is both providing and receiving service use one record to show billings to and a second record for billings from. When billings to or from an affiliate are recorded on the books of the utility, the records underlying such billings shall be sufficient to show all the detail maintained to identify the associated accounts related to the billing and categorize billings according to the account categories shown below.

<b>Particulars</b>	<b>(a)</b>	<b>(b)</b>	<b>(c)</b>	<b>(d)</b>	<b>(e)</b>
Docket					
Name of Affiliate		BTC			1
Designate whether billed to or from:		TO			2
Cost Based (C), Market Price (M), Prevailing Price (P), Tariff (T), Other (O)		C			3
Revenues					4
<b>Expenses:</b>					
Plant Specific Operations Expense					5
Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense					6
Customer Operations Expense					7
Corporate Operations Expense					8
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b> 9
<b>Other:</b>					
Plant Accounts					10
Accumulated Depreciation					11
Accumulated Amortization					12
Clearing					13
All Other		804			14
<b>Total</b>		<b>804</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b> 15
Percent of affiliate's business billed to all affiliated regulated utilities					16
If cost based, rate of return on equity or markup incorporated in billings					17
Footnotes		I			

**AFFILIATED ASSETS AND LIABILITIES**

This schedule should be used to report affiliated activity concerning balances at the end of the year for the following accounts: 1120, Cash and Equivalents; 1160, Temporary Investments; 1180, Telecommunications Accounts Receivable; 1190, Other Accounts Receivable; 1210, Interest and Dividends Receivable; 1401, Investment in Affiliated Companies; 4010, Accounts Payable; and 4260, Advances from Affiliated Companies. Amounts at the end of the year for each affiliate should be identified by respective affiliate and account number. Report information below consecutively by respective account number; affiliated amounts of less than \$5,000 may be reported in aggregate as "other" for a particular account. Affiliated amounts recorded in accounts 1200, Notes Receivable, 1408, Sinking Funds, and 4020, Notes Payable, should not be reported in this schedule, but rather in the respective schedules contained elsewhere in this report.

<b>Name of Affiliate (a)</b>	<b>Account Number (b)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (c)</b>	
BRUCE TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC	1190	804	<b>1</b>
BRUCE TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC	1401	175,000	<b>2</b>

**ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE NET WRITE OFFS - TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

This schedule should be used to report accounts receivable net write off activity.

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>Amount (b)</b>	
Collection of amounts previously written off	6,412	<b>1</b>
Uncollectibles written off during the year	7,206	<b>2</b>
<b>Net write offs during the year</b>	<b>794</b>	



**NOTES RECEIVABLE (ACCT. 1200) AND ALLOWANCES (ACCT. 1201)**

For affiliates, list by issue or note by affiliate. Other, list by issue or note by entity. Separately identify economic development loans and associated particulars.

<b>Name of Maker and purpose (a)</b>	<b>Issue Date (b)</b>	<b>Maturity (c)</b>	<b>Interest Rate (d)</b>	<b>Amount EOY (e)</b>	<b>Allowance Acct. 1201 (f)</b>
NONE					
<b>Total</b>				<u><u>0</u></u>	<u><u>0</u></u>
					1

# **INVESTMENTS IN NONAFFILIATED COMPANIES (ACCT. 1402)**

Name (a)	Balance EOY (b)	
RTB Class B Stock	42,850	1
<b>Other:</b>		
WITS STOCK	22,000	2
<b>Total Investments in Nonaffiliated Companies</b>	<b>64,850</b>	

**NONREGULATED INVESTMENTS (ACCT. 1406)**

Report below the name and end-of-year balance of total net investment and inventory (accts. 1406.10, 1406.11 and 1406.12) for each nonregulated activity. Telephone utilities not subject to dual jurisdiction should report materials and supplies held for resale in account 1406.

<b>Name (a)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (b)</b>	
<b>Total Net Investment and Inventory ( Accts. 1406.10, 1406.11, and 1406.12 ):</b>		
A/C 1406.12 - Nonregulated inventory	439	<b>1</b>
A/C 1406.21 - Internet equipment	15,979	<b>2</b>
A/C 1406.22 - Depreciation reserve - internet	(7,651)	<b>3</b>
A/C 1406.23 - Public telephone equipment	7,590	<b>4</b>
A/C 1406.24 - Depreciation reserve - public telephone	(7,590)	<b>5</b>

**DEFERRED MAINTENANCE AND RETIREMENTS (ACCT. 1438)**

List items individually by Commission approval noting the date of approval.

Description of Item (a)	Balance EOY (b)
NONE	
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>

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**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B**

<b>Plant Account (a)</b>	<b>Account (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Additions (d)</b>	
<b>GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS</b>				
Land	2111	42,119		1 A
Motor Vehicles	2112	118,476		2
Aircraft	2113	0		3
Special Purpose Vehicles	2114	0		4
Garage Work Equipment	2115	0		5
Other Work Equipment	2116	144,463		6
Buildings	2121	469,681		7 B
Furniture	2122	29,718		8
Office Equipment	2123	19,709	0	9
General Purpose Computers	2124	100,071	6,029	10
<b>TOTAL--GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS:</b>		<b>924,237</b>	<b>6,029</b>	
<b>CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS</b>				
Analog Electronic Switching	2211	0		11
Digital Electronic Switching	2212	507,021	0	12
Electro-Mechanical Switching	2215	0	0	13
Operator Systems	2220	0		14
Radio Systems	2231	0	0	15
Circuit Equipment	2232	664,163	29,694	16
<b>TOTAL--CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS:</b>		<b>1,171,184</b>	<b>29,694</b>	
<b>INFORMATION ORIGATION/TERMINATION ASSETS</b>				
Station Apparatus	2311	0		17
Customer Premises Wiring	2321	0		18
Large Private Branch Exchanges	2341	0		19
Public Telephone Terminal Equipment	2351	0		20
Other Terminal Equipment	2362	0		21
<b>TOTAL--INFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSETS:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS</b>				
Poles	2411	0		22
Aerial Cable	2421	0	0	23
Underground Cable	2422	51,879	225	24
Buried Cable	2423	2,047,440	168,938	25
Submarine Cable	2424	0	0	26
Deep Sea Cable	2425	0		27
Intrabuilding Network Cable	2426	0	0	28
Aerial Wire	2431	0		29
Conduit Systems	2441	150,101		30
<b>TOTAL--CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS:</b>		<b>2,249,420</b>	<b>169,163</b>	
<b>AMORTIZABLE ASSETS</b>				
Capital Leases	2681	0		31

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Account (e)</b>	<b>Retirements (f)</b>	<b>Transfers / Adjustments (g)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (h)</b>	
2111		6,138	48,257	1 A
2112			118,476	2
2113			0	3
2114			0	4
2115			0	5
2116			144,463	6
2121		31,065	500,746	7 B
2122			29,718	8
2123	0	0	19,709	9
2124			106,100	10
	0	37,203	967,469	
2211			0	11
2212	0	0	507,021	12
2215	0	0	0	13
2220			0	14
2231	0	0	0	15
2232	0	0	693,857	16
	0	0	1,200,878	
2311			0	17
2321			0	18
2341			0	19
2351			0	20
2362			0	21
	0	0	0	
2411			0	22
2421	0	0	0	23
2422	0	0	52,104	24
2423	2,654	0	2,213,724	25
2424	0	0	0	26
2425			0	27
2426	0	0	0	28
2431			0	29
2441			150,101	30
	2,654	0	2,415,929	
2681			0	31

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B**

<b>Plant Account (a)</b>	<b>Account (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Additions (d)</b>
<b>AMORTIZABLE ASSETS</b>			
Leasehold Improvements	2682	0	<b>32</b>
Intangibles	2690	0	<b>33</b>
<b>TOTAL--AMORTIZABLE ASSETS:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>TOTAL TELECOM. PLANT IN SERVICE</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>4,344,841</b>	<b>204,886</b>
Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity - EOY	2001		<b>34</b>
<b>NET REG. TOTAL TELE. PLANT IN SERV. - EOY</b>	<b>2001</b>		

Explain all amounts shown in column (g).

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Account (e)</b>	<b>Retirements (f)</b>	<b>Transfers / Adjustments (g)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (h)</b>	
2682			0	32
2690			0	33
	0	0	0	
	2,654	37,203	4,584,276	
2001			0	34
			4,584,276	



**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)**

Report telecommunications plant data for each subaccount where primary plant accounts have subclassifications. Amounts pertaining to subaccount 2212.4, Test Equipment, should be reported in account 2212.2, Digital Switching - Central Office; amounts for subaccounts 2231.3, Microwave, 2231.4, Cellular, 2231.5, Mobile Radio, and 2231.6, Paging, should be included in 2231.2, Other Radio Facilities; amounts pertaining to subaccounts 2232.4, Digital Data Services, 2232.5, Digital Circuit - Subscriber, 2232.6, Digital Circuit - Trunk - Toll, and 2232.7, Concentrators, should be reported in 2232.1, Digital Circuit Equipment. Any other separate accounting for telephone plant at an individual telephone company should be consolidated and reported in the primary accounts as defined in the uniform system of accounts.

<b>Plant Subaccount (a)</b>	<b>Subaccount (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Additions (d)</b>	
Office Support Equipment	2123.1	13,125		<b>1</b>
Company Communications Equipment	2123.2	6,584		<b>2</b>
Software	2212.1	0		<b>3</b>
Digital Switching - Central Office	2212.2	507,021		<b>4</b>
Digital Switching - Remote	2212.3	0		<b>5</b>
Step by Step Switching	2215.1	0		<b>6</b>
Crossbar Switching	2215.2	0		<b>7</b>
Satellite and Earth Station Facilities	2231.1	0		<b>8</b>
Other Radio Facilities	2231.2	0		<b>9</b>
Digital Circuit Equipment	2232.1	664,163	378	<b>10</b>
Analog Circuit Equipment	2232.2	0		<b>11</b>
Light Wave Circuit Equipment	2232.3	0	29,316	<b>12</b>
Aerial Cable - Nonmetallic	2421.1	0		<b>13</b>
Aerial Cable - Metallic	2421.2	0		<b>14</b>
Underground Cable - Nonmetallic	2422.1	0		<b>15</b>
Underground Cable - Metallic	2422.2	51,879	225	<b>16</b>
Buried Cable - Nonmetallic	2423.1	0	154,815	<b>17</b>
Buried Cable - Metallic	2423.2	2,047,440	14,123	<b>18</b>
Submarine Cable - Nonmetallic	2424.1	0		<b>19</b>
Submarine Cable - Metallic	2424.2	0		<b>20</b>
Intrabuilding Cable - Nonmetallic	2426.1	0		<b>21</b>
Intrabuilding Cable - Metallic	2426.2	0		<b>22</b>

Explain all amounts shown in column (g).

# **TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)** **(cont.)**

<b>Subaccount (e)</b>	<b>Retirements (f)</b>	<b>Transfers / Adjustments (g)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (h)</b>	
2123.1			13,125	1
2123.2			6,584	2
2212.1			0	3
2212.2			507,021	4
2212.3			0	5
2215.1			0	6
2215.2			0	7
2231.1			0	8
2231.2			0	9
2232.1			664,541	10
2232.2			0	11
2232.3			29,316	12
2421.1			0	13
2421.2			0	14
2422.1			0	15
2422.2			52,104	16
2423.1			154,815	17
2423.2	2,654		2,058,909	18
2424.1			0	19
2424.2			0	20
2426.1			0	21
2426.2			0	22

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B**

Primary Plant Account (a)	Acct (b)	Balance FOY (c)	Depr Rate (d)	Annual Accrual (e)	Additional Accrual (f)
<b>GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS</b>					
Motor Vehicles	2112	99,717	20.0	2,255	1
Aircraft	2113	0			2
Special Purpose Vehicles	2114	0			3
Garage Work Equipment	2115	0			4
Other Work Equipment	2116	101,329	10.0	14,446	5
Buildings	2121	172,505	3.3	15,913	6c
Furniture	2122	29,718	10.0		7
Office Equipment	2123	19,708	20.0		8
General Purpose Computers	2124	100,071	25.0	6,029	9
<b>Total-- GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS</b>		<b>523,048</b>		<b>38,643</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS</b>					
Analog Electronic Switching	2211	0			10
Digital Electronic Switching	2212	506,589	10.0	431	11
Electro-Mechanical Switching	2215	0			12
Operator Systems	2220	0			13
Radio Systems	2231	0			14
Circuit Equipment	2232	640,847	11.6	23,977	15
<b>Total-- CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS</b>		<b>1,147,436</b>		<b>24,408</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>INFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSETS</b>					
Station Apparatus	2311	0			16
Customer Premises Wiring	2321	0			17
Large Private Branch Exchanges	2341	0			18
Public Telephone Terminal Equipment	2351	0			19
Other Terminal Equipment	2362	0			20
<b>Total-- INFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSETS</b>		<b>0</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS</b>					
Poles	2411	0			21
Aerial Cable	2421	0			22
Underground Cable	2422	18,540	5.8	3,016	23
Buried Cable	2423	1,183,814	5.8	119,859	24
Submarine Cable	2424	0			25
Deep Sea Cable	2425	0			26
Intrabuilding Network Cable	2426	0			27
Aerial Wire	2431	0			28

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B**

<b>Primary Plant Account (a)</b>	<b>Acct (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Depr Rate (d)</b>	<b>Annual Accrual (e)</b>	<b>Additional Accrual (f)</b>
<b>CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS</b>					
Conduit Systems	2441	42,971	3.5	5,254	<b>29</b>
<b>Total-- CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS</b>		<b>1,245,325</b>		<b>128,129</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total Accumulated Depreciation</b>	<b>3100</b>	<b>2,915,809</b>		<b>191,180</b>	<b>0</b>
Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity - Columns e, f and I	3100				<b>30</b>
<b>Net Regulated Total Accum Depreciation - 3100 Columns e, f and I</b>					

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Acct (g)</b>	<b>Retired (h)</b>	<b>Cost of Removal (i)</b>	<b>Salvage (j)</b>	<b>Other (k)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (l)</b>	
2112					101,972	1
2113					0	2
2114					0	3
2115					0	4
2116					115,775	5
2121				26,369	214,787	6 c
2122					29,718	7
2123	0				19,708	8
2124					106,100	9
	0	0	0	26,369	588,060	
2211					0	10
2212	0				507,020	11
2215	0				0	12
2220					0	13
2231	0				0	14
2232	0				664,824	15
	0	0	0	0	1,171,844	
2311					0	16
2321					0	17
2341					0	18
2351					0	19
2362					0	20
	0	0	0	0	0	
2411					0	21
2421	0				0	22
2422	0				21,556	23
2423	2,654				1,301,019	24
2424	0				0	25
2425					0	26
2426	0				0	27
2431					0	28

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Acct (g)</b>	<b>Retired (h)</b>	<b>Cost of Removal (i)</b>	<b>Salvage (j)</b>	<b>Other (k)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (l)</b>	
2441					48,225	29
	2,654	0	0	0	1,370,800	
<b>3100</b>	<b>2,654</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26,369</b>	<b>3,130,704</b>	
3100						30
<b>3100</b>						

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)**

Where subclassifications of primary plant accounts are used, report below the accumulated depreciation details for each subaccount. Amounts pertaining to subaccount 2212.4, Test Equipment, should be reported in account 2212.2, Digital Switching - Central Office; amounts for subaccounts 2231.3, Microwave, 2231.4, Cellular, 2231.5, Mobile Radio, and 2231.6, Paging, should be included in 2231.2, Other Radio Facilities; amounts pertaining to subaccounts 2232.4, Digital Data Services, 2232.5, Digital Circuit - Subscriber, 2232.6, Digital Circuit - Trunk - Toll, and 2232.7, Concentrators, should be reported in 2232.1, Digital Circuit Equipment. Any other separate accounting for telephone accumulated depreciation at an individual telephone company should be consolidated and reported in the primary accounts as defined in the uniform system of accounts.

<b>Plant Subaccount (a)</b>	<b>Subacct (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Depr Rate (d)</b>	<b>Annual Accrual (e)</b>	<b>Additional Accrual (f)</b>
Office Support Equipment	2123.1	13,124	20.0		<b>1</b>
Company Communications Equipment	2123.2	6,584	20.0		<b>2</b>
Software	2212.1	0			<b>3</b>
Digital Switching - Central Office	2212.2	506,589	10.0	431	<b>4</b>
Digital Switching - Remote	2212.3	0			<b>5</b>
Step by Step Switching	2215.1	0			<b>6</b>
Crossbar Switching	2215.2	0			<b>7</b>
Satellite and Earth Station Facilities	2231.1	0			<b>8</b>
Other Radio Facilities	2231.2	0			<b>9</b>
Digital Circuit Equipment	2232.1	640,847	11.6	23,694	<b>10</b>
Analog Circuit Equipment	2232.2	0			<b>11</b>
Light Wave Circuit Equipment	2232.3	0	11.6	283	<b>12</b>
Aerial Cable - Nonmetallic	2421.1	0			<b>13</b>
Aerial Cable - Metallic	2421.2	0			<b>14</b>
Underground Cable - Nonmetallic	2422.1	0			<b>15</b>
Underground Cable - Metallic	2422.2	18,540	5.8	3,016	<b>16</b>
Buried Cable - Nonmetallic	2423.1	0	6.0	774	<b>17</b>
Buried Cable - Metallic	2423.2	1,183,814	5.8	119,085	<b>18</b>
Submarine Cable - Nonmetallic	2424.1	0			<b>19</b>
Submarine Cable - Metallic	2424.2	0			<b>20</b>
Intrabuilding Cable - Nonmetallic	2426.1	0			<b>21</b>
Intrabuilding Cable - Metallic	2426.2	0			<b>22</b>

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS) (cont.)**

<b>Subacct (g)</b>	<b>Retired (h)</b>	<b>Cost of Removal (i)</b>	<b>Salvage (j)</b>	<b>Other (k)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (l)</b>	
2123.1					13,124	1
2123.2					6,584	2
2212.1					0	3
2212.2					507,020	4
2212.3					0	5
2215.1					0	6
2215.2					0	7
2231.1					0	8
2231.2					0	9
2232.1					664,541	10
2232.2					0	11
2232.3					283	12
2421.1					0	13
2421.2					0	14
2422.1					0	15
2422.2					21,556	16
2423.1					774	17
2423.2	2,654				1,300,245	18
2424.1					0	19
2424.2					0	20
2426.1					0	21
2426.2					0	22



# **NET DEFERRED OPERATING INCOME TAXES (ACCT. 1350, 1410, 1437, 4100, 4340, 4341 & 4361)**

This schedule should be used to report the deferred operating income tax portion of the stated accounts. In addition, column (e) of this schedule should be used to report the flowback of property related excess deferred taxes (e.g., 46 percent versus 34 percent federal tax rates). Credit amounts should be shown in ( ).

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (b)</b>	
<b>PROPERTY RELATED</b>		
Other Current Assets (1350)	0	<b>1</b>
Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)	0	<b>2</b>
Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)	0	<b>3</b>
Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)	0	<b>4</b>
Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)	13,160	<b>5 D</b>
Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)	0	<b>6</b>
Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)	(41,715)	<b>7</b>
<b>Net Property Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes</b>	<b>(28,555)</b>	
Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity	(544)	<b>8</b>
<b>Net Regulated Total Property Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes</b>	<b>(28,011)</b>	
<b>NONPROPERTY RELATED</b>		
Other Current Assets (1350)	0	<b>9</b>
Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)	0	<b>10</b>
Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)	0	<b>11</b>
Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)	0	<b>12</b>
Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)	7,103	<b>13</b>
Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)	0	<b>14</b>
Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)	0	<b>15</b>
<b>Total Nonproperty Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes</b>	<b>7,103</b>	

# **NET DEFERRED OPERATING INCOME TAXES (ACCT. 1350, 1410, 1437, 4100, 4340, 4341 & 4361) (cont.)**

Acct (c)	Current Year Accrual (d)	Current Year Amortization (e)	Adjustments Debit or (Credit) (f)	Balance EOY (g)	
7250				0	1
7250				0	2
				0	3
7250				0	4
7250			(13,666)	(506)	5 D
				0	6
				(41,715)	7
	0	0	(13,666)	(42,221)	
				(544)	8
	0	0	(13,666)	(41,677)	
7250				0	9
7250				0	10
				0	11
7250				0	12
7250				7,103	13
				0	14
				0	15
	0	0	0	7,103	

**NOTES PAYABLE (ACCT. 4020)**

For affiliate, list note by affiliate. For a particular affiliate, the identical affiliate name, as shown in the Affiliate Abbreviations schedule, should be reported in this schedule. For other, list by note by entity.

<b>Name (a)</b>	<b>Issue Date (b)</b>	<b>Maturity (c)</b>	<b>Interest Rate (d)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (e)</b>
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NONE

<b>Total Notes Payable</b>	<u><u>0</u></u>	<b>1</b>
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**LONG-TERM DEBT**

Report data requested and show total for each long-term debt account at end of year. Information concerning the following debt issues may be reported on individual lines in aggregate: REA/RTB 2%, REA/RTB 5%, & REA/RTB 7%. In addition, REA/RTB and FFB debt, respectively, within a range of 200 basis points may also be reported in aggregate on individual lines. If reported in aggregate, a range of dates may be reported in columns (b) and (c) as well as a range of interest rates in column (d) and a composite interest rate in column (e). If aggregation is not utilized, column (e) should contain the same interest rate as reported in column (d). For account 4050 report only the amount of debt anticipated to be repaid in one year or less.

<b>Description of Debt (a)</b>	<b>Specific or Range of Stated Dates of Issue (b)</b>	<b>Specific or Range of Stated Dates of Maturity (c)</b>	<b>Specific or Range of Interest Rates (d)</b>	
<b>Funded Debt (Account 4210):</b>				
RTB Mortgage Note	12/01/1980	12/01/2015	9.0000	<b>1</b>
RUS Mortgage Note	12/01/1980	12/01/2015	5.0000	<b>2</b>
<b>Total Funded Debt</b>				

# **LONG-TERM DEBT (cont.)**

Composite Interest Rate (e)	Held by Utility		Total Principal EOY (h)	Current Maturities Included in Acct. 4050 (i)	Total Amount Outstanding (j)	
	Reacquired Debt Acct. 4240 (f)	Sinking Funds Acct. 1408 (g)				
9.0000			722,966	19,000	741,966	1
5.0000			1,564,035	61,600	1,625,635	2
	0	0	2,287,001	80,600	2,367,601	

**CAPITAL STOCK ACCOUNTS AT END OF YEAR**

In column (a) indicate the stated dividend rate applicable to each series of preferred stock.

<b>Class and Series (a)</b>	<b>Shares Authorized by Charter (b)</b>	<b>Par Value per Share (c)</b>	<b>Call Price End of Year (d)</b>
<b>COMMON STOCK:</b>			
Common Stock	2,500	100.00	1
<b>TOTAL COMMON STOCK</b>	<b>2,500</b>		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>2,500</u></b>		

**CAPITAL STOCK ACCOUNTS AT END OF YEAR (cont.)**

	Acct. 4510 - Capital Stock		Acct. 4530 - Treasury Stock		
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	
	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	
<b>COMMON STOCK:</b>					
Common Stock	1,260	126,000			1
	<b>1,260</b>	<b>126,000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>1,260</u></b>	<b><u>126,000</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	

**RETAINED EARNINGS (ACCT. 4550)**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>This Year (b)</b>	<b>Last Year (c)</b>	
Balance-First of Year	2,417,301	2,362,920	<b>1</b>
<b>Changes:</b>			
Balance Transferred from Income	217,211	148,881	<b>2</b>
<b>Dividends Declared:</b>			
Common	94,500	94,500	<b>3</b>
Preferred			<b>4</b>
<b>Total Dividends Declared</b>	<b>94,500</b>	<b>94,500</b>	
Miscellaneous Debits to Retained Earnings	3		<b>5</b>
Miscellaneous Credits to Retained Earnings			<b>6</b>
<b>Balance--End of Year</b>	<b><u>2,540,009</u></b>	<b><u>2,417,301</u></b>	



**DISTRIBUTION OF TAXES**

1. Report hereunder the summary accounts and functions charged with taxes accrued during the year.
2. Where allocation is necessary, explain the basis used.
3. Report in a footnote the amounts and kind of taxes cleared from prepaid taxes, if any.

<b>Summary Account/ Function Charged (a)</b>	<b>Wisconsin License Fee (b)</b>	<b>Wisconsin Income Tax (c)</b>	<b>Federal Income Tax (d)</b>	
Operating Taxes (Accts. 7210 - 7250)	62,909	11,401	21,132	<b>1</b>
Nonoperating Taxes (Accts. 7410 - 7450)		13,559	19,314	<b>2</b>
Extraordinary Items (Accts. 7630 & 7640)				<b>3</b>
Nonregulated Net Income (Acct. 7990)		(81)	(216)	<b>4</b>
Clearing Accounts				<b>5</b>
Construction				<b>6</b>
Payroll Taxes: FICA				<b>7</b>
Payroll Taxes: State Unemployment				<b>8</b>
Payroll Taxes: Federal Unemployment				<b>9</b>
<b>Other (specify):</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>62,909</u></b>	<b><u>24,879</u></b>	<b><u>40,230</u></b>	

**DISTRIBUTION OF TAXES (cont.)**

<b>PSC Remainder Assessment (e)</b>	<b>Local Property Tax (f)</b>	<b>State &amp; Local Taxes Other than Wisconsin (g)</b>	<b>Other Taxes (h)</b>	<b>Payroll Taxes (i)</b>	<b>Total (j)</b>	
2,432					97,874	1
					32,873	2
					0	3
					(297)	4
					0	5
					0	6
				15,974	15,974	7
				164	164	8
				328	328	9
<b>2,432</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16,466</b>	<b>146,916</b>	

**REVENUES - CLASS A & B (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>This Year (b)</b>	<b>Last Year (c)</b>	
<b>LOCAL NETWORK SERVICES REVENUES</b>			
Basic Local Service Revenue (5000)*	289,165	273,316	1
Basic Area Revenue (5001)			2
Optional Extended Area Revenue (5002)			3
Cellular Mobile Revenue (5003)			4
Other Mobile Services Revenue (5004)			5
Public Telephone Revenue (5010)			6
Local Private Line Revenue (5040)			7
Customer Premises Revenue (5050)			8
Other Local Exchange Revenue (5060)			9
Other Local Exchange Revenue Settlements (5069)			10
<b>TOTAL BASIC LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE (5000)</b>	<b>289,165</b>	<b>273,316</b>	
<b>NETWORK INTERSTATE ACCESS SERVICES REV.</b>			
End User Revenue (5081)*	68,803	65,911	11
Switched Access Revenue (5082)*	329,508	339,650	12
Special Access Revenue (5083)*			13
<b>TOTAL INTERSTATE ACCESS REVENUES (5080)</b>	<b>398,311</b>	<b>405,561</b>	
<b>NETWORK INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICES REV.</b>			
End User Revenue (5084.1)*			14
Switched Access Revenue (5084.2)*	320,294	325,861	15
Special Access Revenue (5084.3)*			16
<b>TOTAL INTRASTATE ACCESS REVENUES (5084)</b>	<b>320,294</b>	<b>325,861</b>	
<b>LONG DISTANCE NETWORK SERVICES MESSAGE REV.</b>			
Long Distance Message Revenue (5100)*			17
Long Distance Inward-Only Revenue (5111)			18
Long Distance Outward-Only Revenue (5112)			19
<b>Unidirectional Long Distance Revenue (5110)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Long Distance Private Network Revenues</b>			
Subvoice Grade Revenue (5121)			20
Voice Grade Revenue (5122)			21
Audio Program Grade Revenue (5123)			22
Video Program Grade Revenue (5124)			23
Digital Transmission Revenue (5125)			24
Switching Revenue (5126)			25
Other Revenue (5128)			26
Other Revenue Settlements (5129)			27
<b>Total Long Distance Private Network Revenue</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
Other Long Distance Revenue (5160)			28
Other Long Distance Revenue Settlements (5169)			29
<b>TOTAL LONG DISTANCE NET. SERVICES MESSAGE REV.</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	

**REVENUES - CLASS A & B (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>This Year (b)</b>	<b>Last Year (c)</b>	
<b>MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES</b>			
Directory Revenue (5230)*	30,274	30,685	<b>30</b>
Rent Revenue (5240)*			<b>31</b>
Corporate Operations Revenue (5250)*			<b>32</b>
<b>Miscellaneous:</b>			
Miscellaneous Revenue (5260)*	367	455	<b>33</b>
Special Billing Arrangements Revenue (5261)			<b>34</b>
Customer Operations Revenue (5262)			<b>35</b>
Plant Operations Revenue (5263)			<b>36</b>
Other Incidental Regulated Revenue (5264)			<b>37</b>
Other Revenue Settlements (5269)			<b>38</b>
<b>Total Miscellaneous Revenue (5260)</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>455</b>	
Interstate Billing and Collection Revenue*	16,195	18,726	<b>39</b>
Intrastate Billing and Collection Revenue*	36,468	39,042	<b>40</b>
<b>Total Carrier Billing and Collection Revenue (5270)*</b>	<b>52,663</b>	<b>57,768</b>	
Nonregulated Operating Revenue (5280)**			<b>41</b>
<b>TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES</b>	<b>83,304</b>	<b>88,908</b>	
<b>GROSS OPERATING REVENUES</b>	<b>1,091,074</b>	<b>1,093,646</b>	
<b>UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUES</b>			
Uncollectible Revenue (5300)*	794	1,158	<b>42</b>
Uncollectible Revenue--Telecommunications (5301)			<b>43</b>
Uncollectible Revenue--Other (5302)			<b>44</b>
<b>TOTAL UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUE (5300)</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>1,158</b>	
<b>TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES</b>	<b>1,090,280</b>	<b>1,092,488</b>	

\*\* Account 5280 is to be used only by those companies subject to dual jurisdiction.

**EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B**

Particulars (a)	Total Last Year (b)	Total This Year (c)	Salaries / Wages (d)	
<b>PLANT SPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>				
Total Network Support Expense ( 6110 )	0	0		1
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		2
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
Total General Support Expense ( 6120 )	24,066	29,496		4
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		5 E
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>24,066</b>	<b>29,496</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>
Total Central Office Switching Expense ( 6210 )	48,346	52,692		7
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		8
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>48,346</b>	<b>52,692</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>
Total Operator Systems Expense ( 6220 )	0	0		10
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		11
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
Total Central Office Transmission Expenses ( 6230 )	8,620	8,624		13
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		14
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>8,620</b>	<b>8,624</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>
Total Information Orig. / Term. Expense ( 6310 )	543	0		16
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		17
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>
Total Cable and Wire Fac. Expense ( 6410 )	48,620	51,373		19
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		20
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>48,620</b>	<b>51,373</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>TOTAL PLANT SPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>	<b>130,195</b>	<b>142,185</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>130,195</b>	<b>142,185</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>PLANT NONSPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>				
Total Other Property, Plant and Equip. Exp. ( 6510 )	0	0	0	22
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		23
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>
Total Network Operations Expense ( 6530 )	33,988	34,801		25
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		26
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>33,988</b>	<b>34,801</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27</b>
Access Expense ( 6540 )	0	0		28
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		29
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>
Total Depreciation and Amortization Expense ( 6560 )	296,961	191,180		31
Less: Nonregulated	0	0		32 F
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>296,961</b>	<b>191,180</b>		<b>33</b>
<b>TOTAL PLANT NONSPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXP.</b>	<b>330,949</b>	<b>225,981</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>330,949</b>	<b>225,981</b>	<b>0</b>	

**EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B (cont.)**

Account (e)	Benefits (f)	Rents (g)	Other (h)	Clearances to (from) (i)	
6110					1
	0	0	0	0	2
6120			29,496		3
	0	0	29,496	0	4
6210			52,692		5 E
	0	0	52,692	0	6
6220					7
	0	0	0	0	8
6230			8,624		9
	0	0	8,624	0	10
6310					11
	0	0	0	0	12
6410			51,373		13
	0	0	51,373	0	14
	0	0	142,185	0	15
	0	0	0	0	16
	0	0	142,185	0	17
6510	0	0	0	0	18
	0	0	0	0	19
	0	0	0	0	20
	0	0	0	0	21
6530			34,801		22
	0	0	34,801	0	23
6540					24
	0	0	0	0	25
6560			191,180		26
			191,180		27
	0	0	225,981	0	28
	0	0	0	0	29
	0	0	225,981	0	30

**EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B**

Particulars (a)	Total Last Year (b)	Total This Year (c)	Salaries / Wages (d)
<b>CUSTOMER OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>			
Total Marketing ( 6610 )	969	1,327	34
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	35
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>969</b>	<b>1,327</b>	<b>0 36</b>
Total Services ( 6620 )	142,362	151,425	37
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	38
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>142,362</b>	<b>151,425</b>	<b>0 39</b>
<b>TOTAL CUSTOMER OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>	<b>143,331</b>	<b>152,752</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>143,331</b>	<b>152,752</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>			
Total Exec. and Planning ( 6710 )	82,862	85,636	40
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	41
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>82,862</b>	<b>85,636</b>	<b>0 42</b>
Total General and Administrative ( 6720 )	127,163	129,676	43
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	44
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>127,163</b>	<b>129,676</b>	<b>0 45</b>
Provision for Uncollectible Notes Receiv. ( 6790 )	0	0	46
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	47
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>TOTAL CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>	<b>210,025</b>	<b>215,312</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>210,025</b>	<b>215,312</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>814,500</b>	<b>736,230</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>814,500</b>	<b>736,230</b>	<b>0</b>

**EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Account (e)</b>	<b>Benefits (f)</b>	<b>Rents (g)</b>	<b>Other (h)</b>	<b>Clearances to (from) (i)</b>	
<b>6610</b>			1,327		<b>34</b>
					<b>35</b>
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,327</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>6620</b>			151,425		<b>37</b>
					<b>38</b>
	<b>0</b>		<b>151,425</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>39</b>
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>152,752</b>	<b>0</b>	
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>152,752</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>6710</b>			85,636		<b>40</b>
					<b>41</b>
	<b>0</b>		<b>85,636</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>6720</b>			129,676		<b>43</b>
					<b>44</b>
	<b>0</b>		<b>129,676</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>6790</b>					<b>46</b>
					<b>47</b>
			<b>0</b>		<b>48</b>
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>215,312</b>	<b>0</b>	
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>215,312</b>	<b>0</b>	
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>736,230</b>	<b>0</b>	
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>736,230</b>	<b>0</b>	



**EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B ( DETAIL )**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>Total Last Year (b)</b>	<b>Total This Year (c)</b>	<b>Salaries/ Wages (d)</b>	
Property Held for Future Tele. Use Exp. ( 6511 )	0	0		<b>1</b>
Provisioning Expense ( 6512 )	0	0		<b>2</b>
<b>Total: Reported in Account 6510</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
Depreciat. Exp.--Tele. Plant in Service ( 6561 )	296,961	191,180		<b>3</b>
Depreciat. Exp.--Prop. Held for Future Tele. Use ( 6562 )	0	0		<b>4</b>
Amortization Expense--Tangible ( 6563 )	0	0		<b>5</b>
Amortization Expense--Intangible ( 6564 )	0	0		<b>6</b>
Amortization Expense--Other ( 6565 )	0	0		<b>7</b>
<b>Total: Reported in Account 6560</b>	<b>296,961</b>	<b>191,180</b>		

**EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B ( DETAIL ) (cont.)**

Account (e)	Benefits (f)	Rents (g)	Other (h)	Clearances to (from) (i)	
6511					1
6512					2
	0		0	0	
6561			191,180		3
6562					4
6563					5
6564					6
6565					7
			191,180		

## CALCULATION OF ASSESSABLE REVENUES FOR REMAINDER AND TELEPHONE RELAY ASSESSMENT PURPOSES

**Currently, cooperatives are not billed for remainder assessment, but are subject to Department of Justice and telephone relay assessments.**

Description (a)	This Year (b)	
Gross Operating Revenues	1,091,074	1
Plus: Collection of amounts previously written off	6,412	2
Less: Uncollectibles written off during the year	7,206	3
Plus: Total Other Operating Income and (Expense) (7100)	0	4
Less: Nonregulated Operating Revenue (included in Gross Oper. Rev. on Line 1)		5
Plus: Nonregulated Net Write Off Amount (included on lines 2 and 3)		6
Less: Out-of-State Operating Revenues (included in Gross Oper. Rev. on Line 1)		7
Plus (or Less) Other (please specify): NONE	0	8
<b>Assessable Revenues for Remainder, Department of Justice, and Telephone Relay Assessment Purposes</b>	<b><u>1,090,280</u></b>	

## CALCULATION OF ASSESSABLE REVENUES FOR UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND ASSESSMENT PURPOSES

Description (a)	This Year (b)	
Total Basic Local Service Revenue (5000)	289,165	1
Plus: Total Intrastate Access Revenues (5084)	320,294	2
Plus: Total Long Distance Network Services Revenue	0	3
Less: Out-of-State Operating Revenues (included in the above lines)		4
Plus (or Less) Other (please specify): NONE	0	5
<b>Assessable Revenues for Universal Service Fund Assessment Purposes</b>	<b><u>609,459</u></b>	

## CALCULATION OF ASSESSABLE REVENUES FOR REMAINDER AND TELEPHONE RELAY ASSESSMENT PURPOSES

**Currently, cooperatives are not billed for remainder assessment, but are subject to the telephone relay assessment.**

Description (a)	This Year (b)	
Gross Operating Revenues	1,091,074	1
Plus: Collection of amounts previously written off	6,412	2
Less: Uncollectibles written off during the year	7,206	3
Plus: Total Other Operating Income and (Expense) (7100)	0	4
Less: Nonregulated Operating Revenue (included in Gross Oper. Rev. on Line 1)		5
Plus: Nonregulated Net Write Off Amount (included on lines 2 and 3)		6
Less: Out-of-State Operating Revenues (included in Gross Oper. Rev. on Line 1)		7
Plus (or Less) Other (please specify): NONE	0	8
<b>Assessable Revenues for Remainder and Telephone Relay Assessment Purposes</b>	<b>1,090,280</b>	

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<b>Assessable Revenues for Universal Service Fund Assessment Purposes</b>	<b>609,459</b>	

**OTHER INCOME ACCOUNTS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

<b>Particulars</b> <b>(a)</b>	<b>This Year</b> <b>(b)</b>	<b>Last Year</b> <b>(c)</b>	
<b>OTHER OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE</b>			
Income from Custom Work (7110)*			1
Return from Nonregulated Use of Regulated Facilities (7130)*			2
Gains and (Losses) from Foreign Exchange (7140)			3
Gains or (Losses) from the Disposition of Land and Artworks (7150)			4
Other Operating Gains and (Losses) (7160)*			5
<b>TOTAL OTHER OPERATING INCOME AND (EXPENSE) (7100)*</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>OPERATING TAXES</b>			
Operating Investment Tax Credits--Net (7210)*	(11,305)	(11,553)	6
Operating Federal Income Taxes (7220)*	21,700	6,032	7
Operating State and Local Income Taxes (7230)*	8,375	3,585	8
Operating Other Taxes (7240)*	65,341	65,920	9
Provision for Deferred Operating Income Taxes--Net (7250)*	13,763	3,952	10
<b>TOTAL OPERATING TAXES (7200)*</b>	<b>97,874</b>	<b>67,936</b>	
<b>NONOPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE</b>			
Dividend Income (7310)*			11
Interest Income (7320)*	166,669	187,937	12
Income from Sinking and Other Funds (7330)*			13
Allowance for Funds Used During Construction (7340)*	10,347		14
Gains or (Losses) from the Disposition of Certain Property (7350)*			15
Other Nonoperating Income (7360)*	(31,428)	(36,553)	16
Special Charges (7370)*	434	890	17
<b>TOTAL NONOPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE (7300)*</b>	<b>145,154</b>	<b>150,494</b>	
<b>NONOPERATING TAXES</b>			
Nonoperating Investment Tax Credits--Net (7410)*			18
Nonoperating Federal Income Taxes (7420)*	19,314	33,037	19
Nonoperating State and Local Income Taxes (7430)*	13,559	15,564	20
Nonoperating Other Taxes (7440)*		434	21
Provision for Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes-Net (7450)*			22
<b>TOTAL NONOPERATING TAXES (7400)*</b>	<b>32,873</b>	<b>49,035</b>	
<b>INTEREST AND RELATED ITEMS</b>			
Interest on Funded Debt (7510)*	150,316	154,755	23
Interest Expense--Capital Leases (7520)*			24
Amortization of Debt Issuance Expense (7530)*	39	39	25
Other Interest Deductions (7540)*	516	357	26
<b>TOTAL INTEREST AND RELATED ITEMS (7500)*</b>	<b>150,871</b>	<b>155,151</b>	
<b>EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS</b>			
Extraordinary Items (7600)*			27
Extraordinary Income Credits (7610)			28
Extraordinary Income Charges (7620)			29
Current Income Tax Effect of Extraordinary Items--Net (7630)			30
Provision for Deferred Income Tax Effect of Extraordinary Items--Net (7640)			31
<b>TOTAL EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS (7600)*</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>NONREGULATED NET INCOME</b>			
Nonregulated Net Income (7990)*	(375)	(7,479)	32

**NONREGULATED NET INCOME (ACCT. 7990)**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>Amount (b)</b>	
Revenues (Acct. 7990.1)		
Gross Sales	43,752	1
Less: Cost of Goods Sold	2,783	2
<b>Net Sales</b>	<b>40,969</b>	<b>3</b>
Expenses (Acct. 7990.2)	41,344	4
<b>Nonregulated Net Income</b>	<b><u>(375)</u></b>	<b>5</b>

List the type of nonregulated activities that company is involved in:

Nonregulated sales, cost of goods sold and some labor and benefits represent costs related to telephone sales and maintenance. The majority of the nonregulated expenses relate to internet charges through Access Wisconsin.

If the revenues from an individual nonregulated activity represent in excess of 5% of the total operating revenues for the company, please provide the amounts, as requested above, for that individual activity:

None

**DISTRIBUTION OF SALARIES AND WAGES**

<b>Description (a)</b>	<b>Amount (b)</b>	
Regulated Expense	0	1
Nonregulated Expense	1,055	2
Plant Accounts	3,416	3
Accumulated Depreciation Accounts		4
All Other Accounts	204,326	5
<b>Total Salaries and Wages</b>	<b>208,797</b>	<b>6 G</b>

**EMPLOYEE DATA**

Compensation includes wages, commissions, bonuses and any other cash allowances paid to employees.

<b>Employee Category (a)</b>	<b>Number of Equivalent Full-Time Employees</b>		<b>Total Compensation (d)</b>	
	<b>FOY (b)</b>	<b>EOY (c)</b>		
Officers	2.00	2.00	102,021	1
Supervision and Other Management				2
Other Employees	5.00	5.00	106,776	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.00</b>	<b>7.00</b>	<b>208,797</b>	

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Total	7.00	7.00	208,797	



**TELEPHONE CALLS AND MINUTES OF USE PER MONTH**

Enter average number, in thousands, of calls and minutes of use per month. The averages may be based on actual counts taken periodically during the year. Please provide level of detail available.

Item (a)	Telephone Calls (000's) (b)	Minutes of Use (000's) (c)	
<b>LOCAL</b>			
Intra-Exchange	165	835	1
Extended Area Service			2
Extended Community Calling	32	133	3
Other Local-Undefined			4
<b>Total Local</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>968</b>	
<b>TOLL</b>			
Operator Handled: State--intraLATA			5
Operator Handled: State--interLATA			6
Operator Handled: Interstate			7
Customer Dialed: State--intraLATA			8
Customer Dialed: State--interLATA			9
Customer Dialed: Interstate			10
WATS			11
Other Toll-Undefined	55	668	12 H
<b>Total Toll</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>668</b>	
<b>Total Local &amp; Toll</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>1,636</b>	

**ACCESS USAGE**

Enter number, in thousands, of Billed Minutes.

Description (a)	Billed Minutes (000's)				
	Interstate InterLATA (b)	Intrastate InterLATA (c)	Intrastate IntraLATA (d)	Interstate IntraLATA (e)	
Feature Group A -- Orig.					1
Feature Group A -- Term.	43				2
Feature Group B -- Orig.	1				3
Feature Group B -- Term.					4
Feature Group C -- Orig.			1,127		5
Feature Group C -- Term.			1,353		6
Feature Group D -- Orig.	1,139	704	127		7
Feature Group D -- Term.	2,321	1,247			8

**OUTSIDE PLANT STATISTICS AT END OF YEAR**

<b>Description of Item (a)</b>	<b>Amount (b)</b>	
Sheath miles of plant - aerial	0	1
Sheath miles of plant - buried	320	2
Sheath miles of plant - fiber optics	7	3
Strand miles of plant - fiber optics	261	4
Route miles of plant - microwave	0	5

**SPECIAL ACCESS CIRCUITS IN USE AT END OF YEAR**

<b>Circuit Type (a)</b>	<b>InterLATA Chan. Terms. (b)</b>	<b>IntraLATA Chan. Terms. (c)</b>	
Voice grade	1	6	1
56 kbps	2	2	2
64 kbps (DS0)	0	0	3
1.54 Mbps (DS-1)	1	0	4
45 Mbps (DS-3)	0	0	5
SONET OC-1	0	0	6
SONET OC-3	0	0	7
SONET OC-12	0	0	8
SONET OC-48	0	0	9
SONET OC-192	0	0	10

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SONET OC-3	0	0	7
SONET OC-12	0	0	8
SONET OC-48	0	0	9
SONET OC-192	0	0	10

**SERVICE DATA**

Access Line--Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency, and/or time slot. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice or 64 Kilobits/second. Customer--A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.

Item (a)	FOY (b)	EOY (c)	
<b>Business</b>			
1 Party	149	162	3
2 Party			4
4 Party			5
PBX Trunks/System Trunks			6
Centrex Trunks			7
Centrex Lines			8
Key System Trunks	48	48	9
Mobile (Utility Provided Service)			10
Paging (Utility Provided Service)			11
FX-Out (Switched)	2	2	12
Pay Telephone		5	13
Coin-Operated Pay Telephone	0		14
Independent Pay Telephone Provider	0		15
Pay Stations - Public	4		16
- Semi-Public	1		17
- Cust. Owned			18
Other	1		19
<b>Total Business Lines</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Residential (Incl. Emp. Concess.)</b>			
1 Party	1,398	1,470	22
2 Party			23
4 Party			24
FX-Out (Switched)			25
Other			26
<b>Total Residential Lines</b>	<b>1,398</b>	<b>1,470</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Total Bus &amp; Res Lines</b>	<b>1,603</b>	<b>1,687</b>	<b>28</b>
Company Used Lines	57	57	29
<b>Total Lines Used</b>	<b>1,660</b>	<b>1,744</b>	<b>30</b>

**SERVICE DATA (cont.)**

Access Line--Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency, and/or time slot. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice or 64 Kilobits/second. Customer--A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.

Item (a)	FOY (b)	EOY (c)	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>			
WATS Lines - OutWATS			3
WATS Lines - 800 Service			4
FX-In-intraLATA			5
Special Access-intraLATA			6
(expressed in equiv. access lines)	9	8	7
Special Access-interLATA			8
(expressed in equiv. access lines)	27	27	9
Feature Group A Lines			10
Feature Group B Trunks			11
Feature Group C Trunks			12
Feature Group D Trunks	72	72	13
TSPS - Trunks	7	7	14
EAS - Trunks			15
Cellular Trunks (Pub. Sw. Net.)			16
Video Distance Learning			17
- discounted (special tariff)			18
<b>Customers</b>			
Business - 2 Party Customers			19
Business - 4 Party Customers			20
Residential - 2 Party Customers			21
Residential - 4 Party Customers			22
<b>Other</b>			
Total Central Office, Info. Orig./Term., & Cable			23
Wire Fac. Assets (based on physical location of plant)			24
	3,420,604	3,616,807	25
Total Company Square Miles	230	230	26
Total Company Route Miles	308	320	27
Footnotes			28
			29
			30

**SERVICE DATA - END OF YEAR**

Access Line--Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency, and/or time slot. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice or 64 Kilobits/second. Customer--A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.

Item (a)	Exchange (b)	Exchange (c)	Exchange (d)	Exchange (e)	
PSCW Exchange ID	0780				1
<b>Business</b>					2
1 Party	162				3
2 Party					4
4 Party					5
PBX Trunks/System Trunks					6
Centrex Trunks					7
Centrex Lines					8
Key System Trunks	48				9
Mobile (utility provided service)					10
Paging (utility provided service)					11
FX-Out (Switched)	2				12
Pay Telephone	5				13
Coin-Operated Pay Telephone					14
Independent Pay Telephone Provider					15
Pay Stations - Public					16
- Semi-Public					17
- Cust. Owned					18
Other					19
<b>Total Business Lines</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	20
<b>Residential (Incl. Emp. Concess.)</b>					21
1 Party	1,470				22
2 Party					23
4 Party					24
FX-Out (Switched)					25
Other					26
<b>Total Residential Lines</b>	<b>1,470</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	27
<b>Total Bus &amp; Res Lines</b>	<b>1,687</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	28
Company Used Lines	57				29
<b>Total Lines Used</b>	<b>1,744</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	30

**SERVICE DATA - END OF YEAR (cont.)**

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Item (a)	Exchange (b)	Exchange (c)	Exchange (d)	Exchange (e)	
PSCW Exchange ID	0780				1
<b>Miscellaneous</b>					2
WATS Lines - OutWATS					3
WATS Lines - 800 Service					4
FX-In-intraLATA					5
Special Access-intraLATA					6
(equiv. access lines)	8				7
Special Access-interLATA					8
(equiv. access lines)	27				9
Feature Group A Lines					10
Feature Group B Trunks					11
Feature Group C Trunks					12
Feature Group D Trunks	72				13
TSPS - Trunks	7				14
EAS - Trunks					15
Cellular Trunks (Pub. Sw. Net.)					16
Video Distance Learning					17
- discounted (special tariff)					18
<b>Customers</b>					19
Business - 2 Party Customers					20
Business - 4 Party Customers					21
Residential - 2 Party Customers					22
Residential - 4 Party Customers					23
<b>Other</b>					24
Exchange C.O., Info. Orig./Term., & Cable					25
Wire Fac. Assets (based on physical					26
location of plant)	3,616,807				27
Exchange Square Miles	230				28
Exchange Route Miles	320				29
Footnotes					30



**MANUFACTURER ABBREVIATIONS**

Use these abbreviations when completing the central office data schedule.

<b>Manufacturer Name (a)</b>	<b>Abbreviation (b)</b>	
Alcatel	AL	<b>1</b>
ATTC	ATT	<b>2</b>
GTE	GTE	<b>3</b>
ITT	ITT	<b>4</b>
Lucent	ATT/LUC	<b>5</b>
Nippon Electric	NEC	<b>6</b>
Northern Telecom	NTI	<b>7</b>
Siemens	SI	<b>8</b>
Stromberg-Carlson	SC	<b>9</b>
VIDAR	VI	<b>10</b>

**EQUIPMENT ABBREVIATIONS**

Use these abbreviations when completing the central office data schedule.

<b>Equipment Type (a)</b>	<b>Abbreviation (b)</b>	
Electromechanical	EM	<b>1</b>
Electronic--Analog	A	<b>2</b>
Electronic--Digital	D	<b>3</b>
Electronic--Video	V	<b>4</b>

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Use these abbreviations when completing the central office data schedule.

<b>Manufacturer Name (a)</b>	<b>Abbreviation (b)</b>	
Alcatel	AL	<b>1</b>
ATTC	ATT	<b>2</b>
GTE	GTE	<b>3</b>
ITT	ITT	<b>4</b>
Lucent	ATT/LUC	<b>5</b>
Nippon Electric	NEC	<b>6</b>
Northern Telecom	NTI	<b>7</b>
Siemens	SI	<b>8</b>
Stromberg-Carlson	SC	<b>9</b>
VIDAR	VI	<b>10</b>

**EQUIPMENT ABBREVIATIONS**

Use these abbreviations when completing the central office data schedule.

<b>Equipment Type (a)</b>	<b>Abbreviation (b)</b>	
Electromechanical	EM	<b>1</b>
Electronic--Analog	A	<b>2</b>
Electronic--Digital	D	<b>3</b>
Electronic--Video	V	<b>4</b>

**CENTRAL OFFICE DATA - END OF YEAR**

When an exchange has more than one central office, data must be reported for each central office.

<b>Description (a)</b>	<b>Central Off. (b)</b>	<b>Central Off. (c)</b>	<b>Central Off. (d)</b>	<b>Central Off. (e)</b>	
Exchange Name	BRUCE	BRUCE			1
PSCW Exchange ID	0780	0780			2
Central Office Name	BRUCE	BRUCE			3
PSCW Central Office ID	1	2			4
Manufacturer of COE (Page 54)	SC	SC			5
Year COE Installed	1982	1982			6
Type of Equipment (Page 54)	D	D			7
(S)tandalone, (H)ost, (R)emote	H	R			8
Remote Host PSCW Exchange ID		0780			9
Remote Host PSCW Central Office ID		2			10
COE Generic Software Release No.	14.1	14.1			11
SS7?	No	No			12
9-1-1?	Yes	Yes			13
Access Lines - In Use	928	816			14
- Equipped	930	838			15
- Wired	930	936			16
Trunks - In Use	79	0			17
- Equipped	96	0			18
- Wired	96	0			19
ISDN Available?	No	No			20
ISDN Lines - In Use (BRI)	0	0			21
- In Use (PRI)	0	0			22
Switched 56 Service?	No	No			23
Switched 56 lines in use	0	0			24
Digital Transmission Facilities: DS-1 - In Use	0	0			25
DS-3 - In Use	0	0			26
Advanced Data Service Available:					
Packet Switching?	No	No			27
SMDS?	No	No			28
Frame Relay?	No	No			29
ATM (Asynchronous Trans. Mode)?	No	No			30
Video Information - Service Available?	No	No			31
- In Use (# lines) <sup>1</sup>	0	0			32
Fiber Transmission Facilities:					
No. of fiber strands entering C.O.	78	0			33
No. of fiber strands working (LIT) in C.O.	4	0			34
No. of fiber strands for interoffice use	0	0			35
Miles of fiber sheath in wire center	7	0			36
Access Tandem Serving this C.O.:					
- C.O. Name					37
- PSCW C.O. ID					38
Does this C.O. do access tandem switching?	No	No			39
Equal Access: InterLATA (1+)?	Yes	Yes			40
Equal Access: IntraLATA (1+)?	No	No			41
Footnotes					42

<sup>1</sup> Teleco provided end-to-end facility.

**GENERAL, SCHEDULE LEVEL AND SCHEDULE LINE FOOTNOTES****General Footnote**

reply received from Siepert 1/3/2000

1. Affiliate should be changed to "wholly-owned"
  2. EOY amounts receivable represents federal tax amount. The amount should have been reflected on page 15, lines 14 and 15.
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October 15, 1999

Mr. David J. Manosky, Jr., President and General Manager  
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Re: 1998 Analytical Review DWCCA-820-PJL

Dear Mr. Manosky, Jr.:

The Public Service Commission (PSC) is in the process of completing an analytical review of your utility's 1998 annual report. The purposes of an analytical review are to detect possible reporting or accounting related errors and to identify significant fluctuations from established trends in reported data not sufficiently explained in the annual report. It is our hope that our review will supply information that will enable us to better provide guidance to your utility regarding proper utility accounting and the preparation of future annual reports. In order to complete this review, we request the following information:

1. On copy 3 of page 7, for Extent Of Interest you state that Bruce Telecommunications, LLC is an "AFFILIATE" of the telephone company. If Bruce Telecommunications, LLC is 100 percent owned by the telephone company, please confirm that "AFFILIATE" should be changed to "WHOLLY-OWNED".
2. On copy 1 of page 16, you report an \$804 balance in Account 1190, Other Accounts Receivable, concerning Bruce Telecommunications, LLC (BTC) at December 31, 1998. No balance was reported at the end of the prior year in the 1997 report. On copy 1 of page 15, no dollar amounts are shown for 1998 affiliated activity between the telephone company and BTC. Please state if any revisions are necessary to reflect 1998 affiliated activity between the telephone company and BTC and, if not, why not.

We appreciate your cooperation in providing the above information. These recommendations are intended to provide accounting assistance and should not be construed as criticisms of utility personnel. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (608) 267-9198. Please respond within 30 days of this letter. If we have no questions regarding your response, you can consider the review closed.

Please note that if your response to this letter contains any data that you want to be subject to confidential treatment, you must submit a confidentiality request form with your response.

**GENERAL, SCHEDULE LEVEL AND SCHEDULE LINE FOOTNOTES**

Sincerely,

Peter J. Leege  
Financial Specialist  
Division of Water, Compliance, and Consumer Affairs

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**Schedule Footnotes****Identification and Ownership Footnote. Page 7**

Bruce Telecommunications, changed from "affiliate" to "wholly-owned" per Siepert response for utility. 1/3/00 ele

**Affiliated Interest Transactions Footnote. Page 15**

Pursuant to Sipert response for the utility, \$804 represents federal income tax (assumed cost-based). 1/3/00 ele

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**Schedule Line Footnotes**

- A) Page 22, Account 2111 - Transfer of land from miscellaneous physical property to Telecommunications Plant in Service.
- B) Page 22, Account 2121 - Transfer of building from miscellaneous physical property to Telecommunications Plant in Service.
- C) Page 26, Account 2121 - Transfer of Accumulated Depreciation on building that was transferred from miscellaneous physical property to Telecommunications Plant in Service.
- D) Page 30 - Pursuant to agreement with PSCW staff, net deferred operating income tax property and nonproperty related detail and activity is not required for the 1998 annual report. The total amounts for accounts 1437, 4100, 4340, 4341 and 4361 are included in the Balance EOY column in order that the balance sheet schedules may be populated with the appropriate end-of-year balances for these accounts in the program.
- E) Page 41, Account 6120 - Land and Building Expense and General Purpose Computer Expense are slightly higher in 1998 compared to 1997.
- F) Page 41, Account 6560 - Various assets including Central Office Equipment became fully depreciated in late 1997.
- G) Page 46, Line 5 - The Regulated Expense amount for salaries and wages is included on the All Other Account line.
- H) Page 47, Line 12 - Pursuant to agreement with PSCW staff, toll telephone calls and minutes of use per month detail is not required for the 1998 annual report. The total toll amount for each item is included on the Other Toll - Undefined line in order to facilitate the summation function in the program.
- I) Page 15, Line 14 - Pursuant to agreement with PSCW staff, revenue, expense and other detail amounts are not required for the 1998 annual report. The total amount for each column is included on the All Other line in order to facilitate the summation function in the program.